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In re application of:

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For: ARRANGEMENT AND METHOD FOR
ACTIVATING AN EMERGENCY BRAKE
FUNCTION WITHIN A VEHICLE

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In compliance with Rules 1.97 and 1.98, and in fulfillment of the duty of disclosure under Rule 1.56, it is respectfully requested that the references listed on the accompanying enclosed Form PTO/SB/08a be made of record and considered with respect to the above-referenced U.S. patent application.

The enclosed references were cited in the corresponding EP Patent Application Number 01934696.4. An English language version of the abstract of EP0937618 is attached for the Examiner's convenience. The abstract for DE19632863 was not available, so the abstract from the corresponding Japanese application JP10076931 is attached instead for the Examiner's convenience.

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